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Claims

- 1. Cover for an electronic device comprising
 - a decoration (11) which is visible to a user when said cover is connected to an electronic device;
 - contact sensitive means (22,23) arranged such that they generate an electrical signal when a part (12) of said decoration (11) associated to said contact sensitive means (22,23) is touched; and
 - connection means (24,25) for electrically connecting said contact sensitive means (22,23) to processing means.
- 2. Cover according to claim 1, wherein said contact sensitive means comprise a pressure sensitive film.
- 3. Cover according to claim 2, wherein said pressure sensitive film is an electromechanical film.
- 4. Cover according to claim 2, wherein said pressure sensitive film comprises at least one force sensitive resistor.
- 5. Cover according to claim 1, wherein said contact sensitive means comprise at least one capacitive sensor (22).
- 6. Cover according to one of the preceding claims, wherein different parts (12) of said decoration (11) associated to said contact sensitive means (22,23)

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result in a generation of different signals by said contact sensitive means (22,23) when touched.

- 7. Cover according to one of the preceding claims, wherein one or more selected parts (12) of said decoration (11) are associated to one or more functions enabled by a processor to which said contact sensitive means (22,23) can be connected via said connection means (24,25).
- 8. Cover according to one of the preceding claims, further comprising processing means to which said contact sensitive means (22,23) are connected via said connection means (24,25).
- 9. Cover according to one of the preceding claims, wherein said decoration is a decoration adjustable by processing means.
- 10. Cover according to claim 9, wherein said adjustable decoration comprises at least one light emitting diode (LED) which is controllable by processing means.
- 11. Cover according to claim 9 or 10, wherein said adjustable decoration comprises at least one electro-luminance pattern which is controllable by processing means.
- 12. Electronic device comprising a cover according to one of claim 1 to 11.
- 13. Electronic device according to claim 12 comprising a data connection to said cover and processing means

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for processing data received by said contact sensitive means of said cover.